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Applicants bring the following documents to the Examiner's  
attention in the above-captioned application.

1. U.S. Patent No. 5,270,262, dated December 14, 1993
2. U.S. Patent No. 5,185,653, dated February 9, 1993
3. U.S. Patent No. 4,490,902, dated January 1, 1985
4. U.S. Patent No. 4,043,027, dated August 23, 1977
5. U.S. Patent No. 3,539,675, dated November 10, 1970
6. U.S. Patent No. 3,716,764, dated February 13, 1973

A PTO form 1449 listing these documents is enclosed.

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§ 1.56(b). Under 37 C.F.R. §1.97(b)(3) no action on the merits  
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